GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVATION
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:702
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REVIEW OF POLICY REGARDING REGULARISATION OF UNAUTHORISED COLONIES
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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether attention of the Government has been drawn to the news-item captioned `Centre to review its policy o n unauthorised colonies` appearing in the `Hindustan Times` dated February9, 2002;

(b) if so, the facts of the matter reported therein and the reasons therefor;

(c) the likely changes the Government are going to make in its new policy;

(d) whether the Government have examined the Second Part of the Vijay Kumar Malhotra Committee Report;

(e) if so, the details and recommedations accepted; and

(f) the time by which a final decision is likely to be taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT & POVERTY ALLEVIATION (SHRI BAN DATTATREYA)

(a)to(f): Yes, Sir. The news item refers to setting up of a Committee by Government under the Chairmanship of Secretary (Urban Development), Government of India to examine the existing guidelinesfor regularization of unauthorised colonies in Delhi and suggest modifications/amendments required, if any, to facilitate expeditions regularization of unauthorised colonies. The Committee would also examine the Malhotra Committee Report, Part-IIas referred to by the Municipal Corporation ofDelhi. The Committee is yet to submit its report.